

# Season's End for Basketball League



Jerry Homel announces that Gable House will celebrate its first Birthday next Saturday, April 8, and that many special prizes will be given away to patrons visiting Gable that day.

### SPECIAL DRAWINGS

Here is a chance for everyone who likes to bowl, to win special prizes Gable is offering. To be eligible, all you have to do is drop in at the Gable between the hours of 8:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m., and bowl one, two, or as many lines as you wish. For each line bowled, you will be given a theater like ticket with duplicate numbers which will be torn in half and one half put into a box. Keep the stub with the same number and at the drawing hours of 12 noon, 2, 5, 8, and 11 p. m., you will have a chance to win valuable prizes. You may enter as often as you like and need not be present to win. The winning numbers will be posted on the lobby bulletin board and will appear in this column on the 11th. The valuable prizes will include a \$50 credit for open bowling, two white bowling balls, and bowling bags and shoes. There will be two prizes given away at each drawing. This is going to be fun, so be on hand Saturday, April 8, and you may be a lucky winner.

### TOP SCORERS

Women bowlers who hit the 200 mark and over are Ada Delp, 226; Gloria Solis (Eagles), 213; Dot Nelson (Gable Perchers), 212; Penny McCusker (Morning Glories), 209; Pat Peters, 200; and Kay Rosen (Misfits), 200.

Top men bowlers for the week are W. C. Conger, 261, and S. M. Griffith, 256.

Junior smashers the 200 and over barrier are Tony Milia, 245; Dick Tibben (South High), 244; Earl Curtis, 236; Dave Matosky, 218 and 214; Jim Debona, 211; and Tom Brown, 201.

Splits which were spared are credited to Dorothy Murphy (South Bay Church of God), 4-7-10; Bobbie Rogers (Forresters), 6-7-10; France Vaccaro (Misfits), 6-7-10; Tak Hamachi (Harbor City Nisies), 4-7-10; and D. Woodward (Junior), 6-7-10.

### INTERESTING NOTES

Gable takes this opportunity to announce, and we are a little skeptical, that our friend and house bowler, Lou Kohlmeier, bowled in the South Bay Classic Sweeper and rolled a 689 scratch series to run away with most of the honors. The comment made by Jerry Homel, who bowls on a team with Kohlmeier in the 850 scratch league at Gable and who shot a terrific 89 scratch game, was—no comment.

## PRESS Sports

### Low captures 3 Firsts, 4 Seconds at LBCC Meet

### TT Cycles Start Friday Lead by Indiana Racer

Tom Cates of Evansville, Indiana, 1960 national short track champion, leads a pack of out-of-state riders against California's swiftest in the opening of the AMA-sanctioned motorcycle racing season Friday night, April 7, at Aspet Stadium, Gardena.

Qualifying starts at 7 p. m., racing at 8:30, and 14 events will be staged on the fast dirt half-mile saucer under direction of J. C. Agajanian. Cates, who won 62 dirt track races last year on a quarter-mile track, takes on among others, Ascot champ Al Gunter, victor in 55 half-mile events, and 1960 national eight mile champion.

Other invaders from other parts of the country include Tom Satterly, Little Rock, Arkansas; Larry Palmgren, Denver Colorado; Don Rhodes, Seattle, Washington; Charley Killen, Borger, Texas; and Jay Hayden and Matt Winterbauer, from Illinois.

Along with Gunter, Southland honors will be held up by such riders as Sammy "Flying Flea" Tanner, 1960 state champion; Stu Morley, Pacific Coast champ; Troy Lee, 50-mile national champ; Neil Keen; Don Hawley; Johnny Gibson; Jack O'Brien; and many more.

Invaders from upstate are headed by Dick Dorresteyn, nation's high point TT rider and Ascot record holder in this class; Joe Leonard, three times Grand National champion; and Dick Mann, 100-mile national champion. Duane Shodley, Osceola, Iowa, will lead a new crop of novices who are new to Ascot half-mile racing. Shodley, currently TT class leader, is expected to prove just as much of sensation in the oval racing.

El Camino College gymnast Dave Lowe captured three firsts and four second places but it wasn't enough to subdue Long Beach City College last week. The Vike gymnasts winning a comfortable 87 1/2 to 69 1/2 margin.

Competing in the Long Beach gymnasium, Lowe won the horizontal bars, the rings and the trampoline. His second place finishes came in free exercise, parallel bars, the long horse, and tumbling.

Lowe won all-around honors as he ran up a total of 104.2 points.

Jim Stotler from Long Beach won the rope climb in the exceptional time of 3.9 seconds. Finishing behind Stotler was El Camino's Jim Blaich.

Taking another second for El Camino was Gene Shelton, who captured a second on the rings. Doug Campbell placed third in the side horse for ECC coach Don Jurk's men.

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**WATCHFUL EYE**—During spring baseball practice, Lou Burdette, star pitcher for the Milwaukee Braves, keeps a close eye on proceedings as his nine-year-old son (center) and two young friends busy swap baseball trading cards cut from cereal packages. Maybe Lou is worried that young Lou (their names are spelled differently) will trade him off for another pitcher. With the beginning of the major league season, the cardboard league of baseball trading cards, perennially popular with millions of youngsters, also picks up steam. Youngsters trade 'em, flip 'em odds-or-even, or toss 'em for distance to add to their collections. In youngster's trading circles, one card showing a star like Lou Burdette is worth several showing less well-known players. Late in the season, players on teams out in front gain added value.

### Hundreds of Local Youths Participated

City-wide honors in a boys' basketball program sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Department have been won by the Bengals.

The Bengals swept over other teams at South High School, then went on to top the Ramblers from North High School and the Lakers from Torrance High School. The Casaba squads are in the Rocky Mountain League, comprised of seventh and eighth grade boys.

Capping Skyline League play-offs at the different areas were the Redskins from South High School, the Huskies of North High School and the Trotters of Torrance High School. This league was for fifth and sixth graders. Advisor Bob Lundquist said hundreds of boys participated in the cage sessions conducted in the gymnasiums of the three high schools.

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### Name Patrone to All-Americans For Trotter Tilt

Lee Patrone, colorful 5-11 West Virginia basketeer, Wednesday became the sixth member of the 1961 College All-Americans who will try to halt the fabulous Harlem Globetrotters in the Los Angeles game of the World Series of Basketball at the Sports Arena April 15.

Patrone, who hails from Bellaire, Ohio, should be well remembered by Southland hoop fans. In the 1960 Los Angeles Classic at the Sports Arena, Patrone was at his best in leading the Mountaineers to an 87-73 triumph over favored UCLA.

Among other honors, Patrone was named to three all-conference teams — Kentucky Invitational, Southern Conference and NCAA regional—as well as all-conference.

As a junior, Patrone teamed with Jerry West to give the Mountaineers a potent 1-2 punch, and then took over when the present Lafer star graduated.

Earlier in the week, two North Carolina stars, Doug Moe, 6-6, and York Larese, 6-4, joined the collegians for the coast to coast tour against Abe Saperstein's famed Globetrotters, who have won all nine previous series.

Walt Bellamy, Indiana; Jeff Cohen, William & Mary; and Dick Hickox, Miami (Fla.) were previously named.

Tickets for the April 15 classic are on sale at the Southern California Music Co., 737 S. Hill St., Los Angeles, and at all Mutual ticket agencies.

### Area Canoe Club Holds Discussion

A discussion of by-laws for the newly organized Torrance Canoe Club was held at the group's last meeting yesterday.

Prospective members attended the session at the Victor E. Benstead Plunge.

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### 1961 TORRANCE AREA

## Baseball Directory

The baseball aggregate statistics listed below have been compiled by staffers of the PRESS to better acquaint readers with the make-up of Little, Pony and Babe Ruth Leagues of the Greater Torrance area. If your league is not listed write to Sports Editor, Torrance Press, 3238 W. Sepulveda Blvd., with information.

#### LITTLE LEAGUE

Little League baseball is for boys born between July 31, 1953 and Aug. 1, 1948.

#### SOUTHWOOD

President—Ed Nicodemus (FR 1-366)  
Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, Sepulveda Blvd. on the south, Del Amo Blvd. on the north, Heriotta, Torrance Blvd. on the west.  
Location of Ballpark—Emerald St. between Anza and Victor St.

#### TORDONDO

President—Leo Fischer (FR 5-1667)  
Boundaries—Rialton Lane on the north, Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, Del Amo on the south, Flagler St. on the west.  
Location of Ballpark—Harrison St. and Entradero St., Tordonado Park.

#### TORRANCE AMERICAN

President—Frank Tuttle (FR 5-7221)  
Boundaries—Redondo City limits on the west, Sepulveda Blvd. on the north, Madrona Ave., Lomita Blvd., Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, Pacific Coast Highway on the south.  
Location of Ballpark—Del Amo Field, Plaza del Amo, one block west of Western Ave.

#### TORRANCE NATIONAL

President—George Cole (FA 8-5079)  
Boundaries—Carson St. on the north, Western Ave. on the east, southern Torrance city limits to Crenshaw to Sepulveda to Hawthorne to Carson on the south and on the west.  
Location of Ballpark—Del Amo Field at Plaza del Amo, one block west of Western Ave.

#### CENTRAL TORRANCE

President—Bert Eastley (FA 8-7200)  
Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the west, 190th St. on the north, Western Ave. on the east, and Carson St. on the south.  
Location of Ballpark—Mobil Field, south of entrance at 240 190th St.

#### RIVIERA LEAGUE

President—Ross Pinto (FR 5-2211)  
Boundaries—Pacific Coast Highway on the north, Torrance city limits on the south, Nancy Lee Lane through the center of Via El Sereno on the east and the Pacific Ocean on the west.  
Location of Ballpark—Lower Kissel Field, Pacific Coast Highway—One half mile west of Hawthorne Blvd.

#### LITTLE LEAGUE (Cont.)

##### NORTH TORRANCE

President—Lou Baker (DA 3-1506)  
Boundaries—(West League) Hawthorne Blvd. on the west between Redondo Beach Blvd. and 190th St., east and west bisected by Glenburn and 182nd St.; (East League) east city limits form boundary between Redondo Beach Blvd. and 190th St.  
Location of Parks—Dominique Park, 190th St. and Barrl St., Torrance (Redondo Beach City limits)—West League, Garret Field, 190th St. and Arlington Ave. (East League).

##### PACIFIC COAST

President—Al Wilson (FR 5-7270)  
Boundaries—North of Pacific Coast Hwy. to Hawthorne Blvd., Lomita Blvd. from Hawthorne to Crenshaw, south to Palos Verdes Estates and L.A. County line, East-Crenshaw Blvd., south to Pacific Coast Hwy., east to Torrance City limits, south to Torrance City limits and L.A. County, West Nancy Lee Lane, Calle De Ricardo to Via El Sereno.  
Location of Ballpark—Kissel Field, adjacent to Watteria Post Office.

#### BABE RUTH LEAGUE

Babe Ruth League baseball is for 13, 14 and 15-year-old boys born since Sept. 1, 1945.

#### TORRANCE

President—Bill Korcheny (FA 8-1211)  
Boundaries—190th St. in the north, Normandie on the east, Sepulveda (excluding area bounded by Western, city limits and Crenshaw Blvd.) on the south, city limits on the west.  
Location of Ballpark—Plaza Del Amo, west of Western Ave. (Del Amo Field)

#### NORTH TORRANCE

President—Al Welch (DA 3-6259)  
Boundaries—City limits of Torrance, north of 190th St.  
Location of Ballpark—Gunter Field, 177th St. and S. Gramercy Pl. (West of Arlington)

#### PACIFIC AMERICAN

President—Ralph Brodron (FR 5-1955)  
Boundaries—Torrance city area south of Pacific Coast Hwy., bounded by Redondo city limits on the west, Sepulveda Blvd. on the north, Madrona Ave., Lomita Blvd. and Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, including Hollywood Riviera.  
Location of Ballpark—South High School.

#### PONY LEAGUE

President—Glen McDowell (FR 7-7026)  
Boundaries—Redondo Beach Blvd. on the north, Torrance City boundaries on the east, 190th St. on the south, Hawthorne on the west.  
Location of Ballpark—El Nido Park, Kingsdale Ave. (182nd St., west of Hawthorne Ave.)

#### TORRANCE CENTRAL

President—Hal Smith (FA 8-1811)  
Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the west, 190th St. on the north, Western Ave. on the east, to city limits on the south, west to Crenshaw, north to Sepulveda.  
Location of Ballpark—Mobil Field, south of entrance at 3400 190th St.

#### PACIFIC RIVIERA

President—John Greviston (DA 4-4551)  
Boundaries—Pacific Ocean, Torrance city limits on the south to city limits on the east, north on Crenshaw to Lomita, west on Lomita to Hawthorne, south on Hawthorne to Pacific Coast Hwy., west on Pacific Coast Hwy. to Ave. I, south to Camino Del Camino and west to the Pacific Ocean.  
Location of Ballpark—Kissel Field, 4200 Pacific Coast Highway.

#### WEST TORRANCE

President—John Schnepf (FR 5-6653)  
Boundaries—Redondo City limits on the west between Torrance Blvd. and Pacific Coast Hwy., north boundary follows Torrance Blvd., Heriotta, Del Amo; east boundary follows Hawthorne Blvd., Sepulveda, Crenshaw, Lomita Blvd., Hawthorne to south boundary along Pacific Coast Hwy.  
Location of Ballpark—Ryan Aircraft Co. (Field on Lomita Blvd.)

#### COLT LEAGUE

President—J. C. Gillibrand (DA 4-1578)  
Torrance League (Torrance and Gardena)  
Location of Ballpark—North High.

#### LEGION

(Two Teams in City)  
O. Grimes—(FR 9-2347) Torrance  
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